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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Ex parte MOSHE ZILBERSTEIN, GABY MATSLIACH, AVNER RONEN, RONEN VENTURA, BENNY ROUSSO, and SHAI BUBER

> Appeal 2008-2559 Application 09/422,387 Technology Center 2100

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Before DALE M. SHAW, Chief Appeals Administrator SHAW, Chief Appeals Administrator

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

On November 14, 2005, Appellants filed a Notice of Appeal. On April 14, 2008, counsel for Appellants filed, via facsimile transmission, a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) pursuant to 37 C.F.R § 1.114. Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(d), a request for continued examination filed after the appeal has been taken, but prior to a decision on

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the appeal, "will be treated as a request to withdraw the appeal and to reopen prosecution of the application before the examiner."

Accordingly, the appeal in this application is dismissed.

The application is being returned to the Examiner for further action as may be appropriate.

If there are any questions pertaining to this dismissal, please contact the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences at 571-272-9797.

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